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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: DIMITRI et al.

For: AUTOMATED DATA STORAGE SYSTEM INCLUDING A MOBILE RAIL SYSTEM AND GARAGE

Enclosed are the following:

- [X] Specification 18 pages; Claims 6 pages; Abstract 1 page
[X] Declaration and Power of Attorney
[X] Sheet(s) of drawings 14 pages
[X] An assignment of the invention to: International Business Machines Corporation
[] A verified statement to establish small entity status
[] A certified copy of _____ application No. _____, filed _____
[X] Prior Art Disclosure Statement
[] Preliminary Amendment

Priority is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119 by way of _____ patent application
No. _____ filed _____

Benefit is hereby claimed under Title 35, United States Code 119(e) of United States provisional
application No. _____ filed _____

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